

*Office Memorandum* • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Earl C. Cartwright

DATE: 31 Jan 1952

FROM : Inspector-Instructor

SUBJECT:

It has just been called to my attention that there is quite a mess of cigarette butts and burns on the deck of the room after your meetings at the N. R. T.C.

If this has been caused by your group, it is requested that you please take necessary steps to stop this occurrence.

Naval Reservists using this training center are not allowed to smoke in classrooms, so it would only seem fair for your group to comply with the same regulations.

*L. A. Young*  
L. A. Young



U. S. NAVAL AND MARINE CORPS RESERVE TRAINING CENTER

2700 W. ILLINOIS STREET  
EVANSVILLE 12, INDIANA

OFFICE OF THE  
INSPECTOR-INSTRUCTOR  
NAVAL RESERVE

REFER TO

N12/(rs)  
Ser: 52-52  
28 Mar 1952

Mr. W. C. Baker, President  
Tri-State Amateur Radio Society  
3206 W. Virginia Street  
Evansville, Indiana

Dear Mr. Baker:

It has again been brought to my attention that your Amateur Radio Society is flagrantly violating the revocable permit issued to your society and agreed upon 14 April 1951.

Specifically these violations are:

- (1) Rearranging furnishings and leaving them in a disheveled manner.
- (2) Depositing litter on floor and not policing the area afterwards
- (3) Smoking in the classroom.

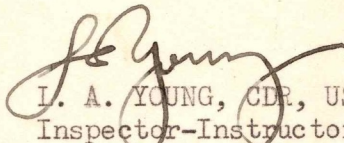
Your attention is also called to Article H-8204 of Bureau of Naval Personnel Manual which states that "smoking will not be permitted during classes" and "smoking regulations will be posted in each building". No smoking signs are clearly displayed in the room used by your society.

These conditions were previously called to your attention in a letter to Mr. Earl C. Cartwright several months ago.

Your attention is also invited to paragraph 8 of your revocable permit.

It is sincerely hoped that your society will comply with the provisions of your permit in order that we might all remain on the best of friendly relations.

Sincerely,

  
L. A. YOUNG, CDR, USNR  
Inspector-Instructor.



INVOICE

Evansville, Indiana  
28 March 1952.

Services rendered for cleaning hall and passageway after meeting  
of Amateur Radio Relay League.

Two men's labor for two hours @ \$1.50 per hour -----~~\$6.00~~



1615 S. NEW YORK AVE.

MAY 8, 1952

L. A. YOUNG, CDR, USNR  
NAVAL RESERVE TRAINING CENTER  
2700 W. ILLINOIS ST.  
EVANSVILLE, 12, INDIANA

DEAR SIR:

AT OUR RECENT BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING IT WAS DECIDED NOT TO RENEW OUR PERMIT ENTITLING US TO USE THE USNR QUARTERS FOR OUR REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING. WE UNDERSTAND THIS PERMIT AUTOMATICALLY EXPIRED APRIL 14, 1952. WE FEEL IT ADVISABLE, UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES, TO SEEK OTHER MEETING QUARTERS.

WE WISH TO SINCERELY THANK YOU AND YOUR ORGANIZATION FOR ALL PAST COURTESIES EXTENDED US AND HAVE APPRECIATED THE OPPORTUNITY OF USING THE NAVAL RESERVE TRAINING CENTER FOR OUR MEETING QUARTERS.

ENCLOSED FIND CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$6.00 (SIX DOLLARS) TO COVER THE INVOICE SUBMITTED BY YOUR ORGANIZATION, FOR EXPENSES INCURRED IN CLEANING AND REARRANGING HALL AND PASSAGEWAY AFTER OUR MARCH 26 MEETING.

SINCERELY,

DARWIN COVERT, SEC'y  
TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY



U. S. NAVAL AND MARINE CORPS RESERVE TRAINING CENTER

2700 W. ILLINOIS STREET  
EVANSVILLE 12, INDIANA

OFFICE OF THE  
INSPECTOR-INSTRUCTOR  
NAVAL RESERVE

REFER TO

N12/(rs)  
Ser: 132-52  
20 May 1952

Mr. Darwin Covert, Secretary  
Tri-State Amateur Radio Society  
1615 S. New York Ave.,  
Evansville, Indiana

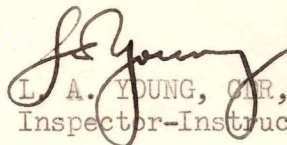
Dear Mr. Covert:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of 8 May 1952, stating that your Society does not wish to renew its permit to use the Naval Reserve Training Center for its meetings, the permit having expired on 14 April 1952.

The Navy has enjoyed having you use its facilities and leaves a standing invitation to your organization to apply for such permit at any time in the future.

Your check in the amount of \$6.00 is returned herewith.

Sincerely,

  
L. A. YOUNG, CDR, USNR  
Inspector-Instructor



# INDIANA RADIO CLUB COUNCIL

An Affiliation Of Radio Clubs  
Of The  
State Of Indiana

Office of Secretary  
March 25, 1952

Tri-State Amateur Radio Society  
1615 South New York Avenue  
Evansville, Indiana.  
% Darwin Covert, Sec'y

Dear Mr. Covert,

The IRCC will have a meeting April  
27, 1952 in Frankfort, Indiana at the Frazier Dairy.  
Meeting will open at 10 A.M.

Your delegates are invited to attend  
this meeting. Please notify W9MDC, Charles T. Miser,  
716 South Peter Street, Garrett, Indiana how many  
will be there.

73

*Peggy Coulter*

Peggy Coulter, W9JUU  
RFD 2 Box 362  
Muncie, Indiana



April 14, 1952

Mr. Charles T. Miser, W9MDC  
716 South Peter Street  
Garrett, Indiana

Dear Sir:

Reference the IRCC meeting April 27, 1952 in Frankfort, Indiana, one member of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society in addition to Clifford McGuyer, W9DGA, who will be there in his official capacity of SGM, will attend the meeting.

73

Darwin Covert, W9KVE  
1615 So. New York Avenue  
Evansville, Indiana



# INDIANA RADIO CLUB COUNCIL

An Affiliation Of Radio Clubs  
Of The  
State Of Indiana

Office of Secretary

May 1, 1952

Tri-State Amateur Radio Society  
% Darwin Covert, W9KVE  
1615 South New York Avenue  
Evansville, Indiana

Dear Mr. Covert:

At the Indiana Radio Club Council Meeting April 27, 1952, the application of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society for membership into the Council was duly voted on and passed favorably.

We welcome you into the Council. Feel free to call on me, as secretary, at anytime.

You will be notified of all Council meetings.

Please advise me as to who your club delegates are.

Thank you. 73

Sincerely,

*Peggy Coulter*

Peggy Coulter, W9JUI  
Secretary IRCC

*RFD 2 - Box 362  
Muncie Indiana*



1615 SOUTH NEW YORK AVE.  
PHONE- 4-4213

JUNE 2, 1952

BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT  
CITY BUILDING  
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

ATTN: MR. JOSEPH BASTIAN, SECRETARY

DEAR MR. BASTIAN:

THE TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY REQUESTS PERMISSION TO USE THE STRINGTOWN RESERVOIR GROUNDS ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, JUNE 21 AND 22, 1952, FOR THE ANNUAL AMATEUR RADIO OPERATOR'S FIELD DAY. WE WANT TO SET UP EARLY THE MORNING OF JUNE 21 AND WILL BE OFF THE GROUNDS BY 6PM JUNE 22.

THIS IS AN ANNUAL 24 HOUR TEST PERIOD SET ASIDE BY THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE, TO TEST AMATEUR RADIO COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT OPERATING UNDER CONDITIONS THAT WOULD NORMALLY BE ENCOUNTERED IN AN ACTUAL EMERGENCY. THE EQUIPMENT WILL BE POWERED BY PORTABLE EMERGENCY POWER PLANTS.

OTHER AMATEUR GROUPS THROUGHOUT THE NATION SET UP SIMILAR EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT DURING THIS DESIGNATED 24 HOUR PERIOD. RADIO CONTACT IS THEN ESTABLISHED BETWEEN THESE GROUPS, THEREBY CREATING A NATIONAL EMERGENCY RADIO NETWORK. THIS IS AN EXCELLENT DRILL FOR THE USE OF AMATEUR RADIO FACILITIES IN PROVIDING COMMUNICATIONS ON A LOCAL AND NATIONAL SCALE AND COORDINATED WITH OUR LOCAL CIVIL DEFENSE ORGANIZATION.

IF PERMISSION IS GRANTED OUR ORGANIZATION TO USE <sup>of the area</sup> THE RESERVOIR GROUNDS AGAIN THIS YEAR, WE AGREE NOT TO DAMAGE OR DEFACE ANY OF THE GROUNDS OR EQUIPMENT AND TO CLEAN UP THE AREA BEFORE LEAVING. A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT WILL BE ASSIGNED TO KEEP ALL UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS OFF THE GROUNDS.

*area used by the amateurs*

YOURS VERY TRULY

DARWIN COVERT, SECRETARY



H. O. ROBERTS  
MAYOR

EVANSVILLE, INDIANA  
WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT

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JOS. BASTIAN, SECRETARY  
MIKE SCHMITT, JR., GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT

June 9, 1952

Mr. Darwin Covert, Secretary  
Tri-State Amateur Radio Society  
1615 S. New York Avenue  
Evansville, Indiana.

Dear Darwin:

Your letter of June 2nd was presented to the Trustees of the Evansville, Indiana Waterworks Department at their meeting on June 4th, and the following is a true and correct copy of the minutes of said meeting:

"The Secretary presented a letter dated June 2, 1952 from Darwin Covert, Secretary of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society, requesting use of the Reservoir grounds on June 21st and 22nd, 1952 for the annual Amateur Radio Operator's Field Day, and by unanimous vote, the Secretary was instructed to notify Mr. Covert that the request was granted, provided that someone with police power be alerted so that no strangers be permitted to trespass on the Reservoir property, as every precaution is being used at this time to protect the water supply for the community."

I might add that the Board was very happy to allow your request.

Very truly yours,

EVANSVILLE, INDIANA WATERWORKS DEPT.

  
Jos. Bastian, Secretary

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ILLINOIS - KENTUCKY - INDIANA

Tri-State Amateur Radio Society  
Evansville, Indiana



OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

June 10, 1952

Tri-State Amateur Radio Society  
P. O. Box 231  
Evansville, Indiana

Attention of the Secretary

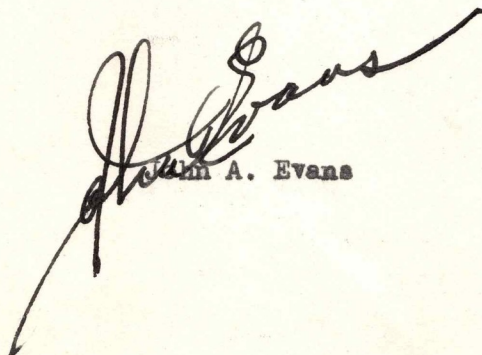
Gentlemen:

Inasmuch as I have been appointed Director of Communications for the Evansville Civil Defense Corps, it is necessary that I herewith submit my resignation as President of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society.

I wish further to take advantage of this opportunity to express my appreciation to the entire membership, particularly the board of directors and committee chairmen for having made my tenure so pleasant and interesting.

Many thanks to you all.

Yours truly,

  
John A. Evans



JUNE 25, 1952

1615 SOUTH NEW YORK AVE.  
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

JACK EVANS, W9HRH  
1905 AVIATION AVE  
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

DEAR JACK:

IT IS WITH DEEP REGRET THAT WE RECEIVED YOUR LETTER OF RESIGNATION AS PRESIDENT OF THE TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY, EFFECTIVE JUNE 10.

ON BEHALF OF THE TARS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN, AND ALL MEMBERS, WE WISH TO COMPLIMENT YOU ON THE FINE WORK AND UNTIRING EFFORT YOU HAVE PUT FORTH FOR THE BETTERMENT OF OUR ORGANIZATION. YOUR RESIGNATION LEAVES A VACANCY IN OUR CLUB THAT WILL BE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO FILL WITH ANOTHER OF YOUR CAPABILITY.

WE ARE INDEED HAPPY TO HEAR THAT YOU WERE APPOINTED CIVIL DEFENSE COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR AND PROUD THAT AN OFFICER OF OUR GROUP RECEIVED THIS APPOINTMENT. WE REALIZE THAT THE TIME AND EFFORT THAT MUST BE DEVOTED TO THIS NEW APPOINTMENT WILL MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR YOU TO CARRY ON AS PRESIDENT OF TARS.

THEREFORE, WE RELUCTANTLY ACCEPT YOUR RESIGNATION AND WISH YOU SUCCESS IN YOUR NEW VENTURE. WE OFFER YOU THE FULL COOPERATION OF THE TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY IN ASSISTING YOU IN YOUR CIVIL DEFENSE COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTORSHIP.

BEST OF LUCK TO YOU, JACK, FROM ALL THE GANG.

73

MEMBERSHIP OF TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY  
N. D. COVERT, SECRETARY



# SERVEL INC. EVANSVILLE 20, INDIANA

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July 9, 1952

Mr. Bob Fink - W9BBN  
Tri-State Amateur Radio Society  
Evansville, Indiana

Dear Bob:

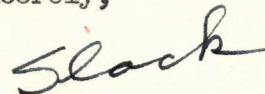
It is with great regret that I find it necessary to ask to be relieved of my duties and responsibilities as Editor of Tri-State SPARKS.

I was somewhat doubtful of my ability to handle this job at the time I was requested to do so. I am not at all happy with the manner in which I have handled it, and find that I simply do not have enough time to give it the attention it deserves.

This has been particularly true during the last three months which coincides with our busy season on air conditioning service. I find that the demands of my day-time job permit no opportunity of doing an acceptable job on the paper. I am hopeful that you will be able to find someone who can take over immediately, but if you cannot, I do promise to issue a four page paper for this month.

I certainly do not want to shirk any responsibility toward the organization and promise any assistance possible at any time on any club activity. I know you will understand, however, that the demands of my job must take precedence.

Sincerely,



R. E. Slack Davis  
W9MJU

RED J



1615 S. NEW YORK AVE

JULY 15, 1952

AMERICAN RED CROSS  
321 S. E. FIRST ST.  
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

GENTLEMEN:

ON BEHALF OF THE TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR THE USE OF YOUR TENTS FOR OUR ANNUAL FIELD DAY EMERGENCY OPERATION, JUNE 21ST AND 22ND.

WITHOUT OCCASIONAL ASSISTANCE FROM ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS YOURS, WE WOULD HAVE A VERY DIFFICULT TIME IN SOME OF OUR UNDERTAKINGS.

WE FEEL THAT THE EXPERIENCE GAINED IN THESE FIELD DRILLS, OPERATING UNDER EMERGENCY CONDITIONS, WILL BE OF GREAT BENEFIT TO US IN FURNISHING RADIO COMMUNICATIONS DURING ANY EMERGENCY THAT MAY ARISE.

YOURS VERY TRULY

N. D. COVERT, SECRETARY



1615 SOUTH NEW YORK AVE

JULY 15, 1952

MR. JAMES H. GREESON  
14 N. ST. JOSEPH AVE  
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

DEAR HANK:

ON BEHALF OF THE TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY, I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICES AND THE USE OF YOUR FEED LINE AND EQUIPMENT FOR OUR ANNUAL FIELD DAY OPERATION JUNE 21ST & 22ND.

WITHOUT OCCASIONAL ASSISTANCE FROM MEN LIKE YOU, WE WOULD HAVE A VERY DIFFICULT TIME IN SOME OF OUR UNDERTAKINGS.

WE FEEL THAT THE EXPERIENCE GAINED IN THESE FIELD DAY DRILLS, OPERATING UNDER EMERGENCY CONDITIONS, WILL BE OF GREAT BENEFIT TO US IN FURNISHING RADIO COMMUNICATIONS DURING ANY EMERGENCY THAT MAY ARISE.

IF WE MAY BE OF ASSISTANCE TO YOU AT ANY TIME, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CALL ON US.

YOURS VERY TRULY

N. D. COVERT, SECRETARY



1615 S. NEW YORK AVE.

JULY 15, 1952

BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT  
CITY BUILDING  
EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

ATTN: MR. JOSEPH BASTIAN, SECRETARY

DEAR MR. BASTIAN:

ON BEHALF OF THE TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY I WISH TO EXPRESS THEIR SINCERE APPRECIATION FOR YOUR COOPERATION IN OBTAINING THE USE OF THE STRINGTOWN RESERVOIR GROUNDS JUNE 21 & 22, FOR THE ANNUAL AMATEUR RADIO OPERATOR'S FIELD OPERATIONS.

WE FEEL THAT THE EXPERIENCE GAINED IN THESE FIELD DAY DRILLS, OPERATING UNDER EMERGENCY CONDITIONS, WILL BE OF GREAT BENEFIT TO US IN FURNISHING RADIO COMMUNICATIONS DURING ANY EMERGENCY THAT MAY ARISE.

IF OUR ORGANIZATION CAN BE OF ASSISTANCE TO YOU AT ANY TIME, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CALL ON US.

YOURS VERY TRULY

N. D. COVERT, SECRETARY



# WASHINGTON MOBILE RADIO CLUB

Washington, D. C.

W3NL, R. V. ANDERSON  
2509 - 82nd St., S. E.  
WASHINGTON 20, D. C.

Aug 18/52

Dear Om:-

Thank you very much for sending me the State Spots. I appreciate it very much.

I am inclosing a "blurb" we have gotten up locally in an effort to be sure that the hams understand the new proposal 12.112 of Declet 10237. There seems to be a lot of misunderstanding about the why and wherefore, and this is an effort to explain how it came to exist. It should be noted that no recommendations are made "pro" and "con" on any bands except possibly on 10 where our local club is all in favor of it. We use this segment now, in the spot manner prescribed for our emergency calling system which is automatic in the new small house when emergency is afoot.

We hope your club will see it very clear to support this particular segment. We are making "no comment" on the other bands since we do not work them in our club.

73

Andy - W3NL



## FCC Docket 10237 - WHY?

Since the appearance of FCC Docket 10237 on July 29, which concerns calling and answering frequencies, a great deal of misunderstanding has existed in the ranks of the amateurs relative to the proposed 12.112.

Many have read the new Docket as requiring all calling and answering in these segments. Such was never intended and if the present wording is defective it will, of course, be cleared up before any final enactment. That part of the amateur bands not concerned with calling and answering frequencies will be unaffected.

The greatest misconception of the use of the calling and answering segments seems to exist relative to their purpose. These segments are primarily for calling and answering for emergency use. But the new rule doesn't say that !! How in the world can anyone come out with the statement that these segments are primarily for emergency use when no where in the rule does it say so?

Let us suppose you are introducing one of your friends to amateur radio. You tell him about the DX, the number of countries you've worked, the traffic nets, the various state nets, the technical developments, single sideband, radio teletype, UHF work, etc., etc. He is very much impressed with the tremendous amount of communication existing on the amateur bands. Then he asks you - "With all this great quantity of radio equipment and operating skill, is it possible for a low-powered portable station operating in an isolated area from a point where a devastating tornado has just visited, to make an instant contact and get all these amateur facilities to operating as a unit to bring assistance to the area"? Unfortunately the answer cannot be an unqualified "yes". The low-powered portable simply cannot do this because there is no organization among the hams to provide such a service. You should not be surprised at your friend's utter astonishment that the amateur can do all the things you've been telling him and yet has no permanent means for calling when communications of an immediate and urgent nature are required as a result of a plane crash, train wreck, etc.

Very well, let's fix it up so that there will be a means of establishing these emergency contacts, so that the radio amateur can efficiently and expeditiously handle any type of emergency. Our friend happens to thumb through QST and sees the list of the ARRL calling and emergency frequencies. Just the ticket, he says. We have to admit that no one pays any attention to those on the lower frequency bands and while a great many do observe the one on ten, there are some who refuse to cooperate here. Okay, let's ask the FCC to fix it up for us since we can't do it ourselves on a voluntary basis.

Spectrum space will be needed and we're going to have to steal it from existing use. First let's decide how much will be needed. 7 kc on 160; 10 kc for both phone and c.w. on 80, 40 and 20; 20 kc on 10, etc. Percentage-wise this will hit some bands pretty hard, but we'll go ahead. We're not quite sure, anyway, that the boys will insist on continuing some of these especially important rag-chews in lieu of a provision for emergency calling. Now, where do we spot these segments? We know there are RACES allocations, so we spot our segments on the band edges of RACES when possible - on 20 and 40 there are no RACES so we use the ARRL calling and emergency frequencies for these bands. We now have our segments spotted for our hypothetical petition to the FCC.



Now, let's get down to the business of how these segments are to be used. Boy! do we run into complications? The FCC has already used the word emergency to indicate a wide area so we can't use that word without qualifying adjectives. We try to put down on paper, words that will describe a local emergency such as a bad automobile accident, upset boats, etc., and find out it simply cannot be done without words and words and words and even then it is quite full of loopholes. But wait! there's an easier way. We will let all types of calling exist on these frequencies except, of course, general CQ's. Calling and answering segments are not efficient for general contacts so after the hams have tried these segments and found out their capabilities, all that will be left are those calls of a special and emergency nature. Thus, by allowing all types of calls, we end up with just what we wanted -- calling and answering segments for special and local emergency calling. That's why the primary use of the segments will be for local emergency calls even though the proposed rule doesn't say so.

To finalize our imaginary proposal to the FCC we should place a limit on the use of the segment by specifying what types of calls are allowed, their length and composition.

Now having done all this to fix up the amateur bands on an FCC basis so that the mobiles, portables and low-powered stations will be able to make an instant contact whether they are in trouble themselves or if they observe an incident where immediate assistance is required, we look at the wording we have on the paper. Lo and behold! it's practically identical to the proposed 12.112 of Docket 10237.

Now it's up to us to decide whether we are in favor of, or opposed to it. The basic question is whether we should have compulsory calling and answering segments at all. If not, throw the whole thing out! If so, as it now appears or only on certain bands? One thing we must bear in mind. If we don't work a certain band, then we're not qualified to say whether a calling and answering segment on that band is desirable or not. For instance, there have been amateurs who have expressed themselves as being totally opposed to this new rule. These amateurs did not know that in various cities throughout the nation, the ARRL calling and emergency frequency of 29.640 was guarded constantly with squelch receivers and Auto-calls. These comprise an emergency calling system in their individual localities. No one is due to benefit more from these systems than the amateur himself. In fact the individual for whom immediate medical assistance is summoned by using these emergency calling systems may be the amateur himself or those riding with him in his car. When he learns that these systems are immobilized, when skip is open, by stations operating on this frequency (either accidentally or intentionally) and further realizing that, unless there is some control these emergency systems are doomed to failure in a few years when good band conditions return, the amateur is quite favorable to "legislation" to perpetuate the successful use of these calling systems and to extend their use to other bands. The success of these emergency calling systems depends upon the use of a controlled calling and answering frequency!

Now we say, this may all be true, but why aren't there similar systems on other bands? The reason is that there has never been even a partially workable condition to maintain such a system because of QRM. If a calling and answering segment is made available on any band, amateurs everywhere will volunteer the monitoring receivers. In fact practically every amateur will keep his receiver on the calling and answering frequency when he's "puttering" around the place.



Are we willing, in the bands that we regularly work, to exchange the present communications now existing on a small portion of the band, for a means of making instant emergency contacts? As someone once said, "That is the question". Maybe we are in agreement with the principles involved but feel there is a much better way to accomplish the result. Maybe 10 kc is too wide for c.w., perhaps 5 kc would be better. Maybe the segment should be located as a barrier between phone and c.w. Maybe the composition of calls is unsuitable. There are a great many "maybe's". The big thing, of course, is what we can do to answer an emphatic and positive "yes" to our friend's embarrassing question that started all this in the first place.

Prepared by the Executive Committee of the  
WASHINGTON MOBILE RADIO CLUB  
Irene Akers, W3RXJ, Secy.  
656 Burns St., S. E.  
Washington 19, D. C.



September 9, 1952

General Ray E. Porter  
Commanding Officer  
Camp Breckenridge, Ky.

Dear Sir:

The Tri-State Amateur Radio Society of Evansville is holding its annual Hamfest next Sunday, September 14th. We believe that there may be some radio amateurs at Camp Breckenridge who might like to attend this affair and meet the two hundred or more who will be there.

Any licensed amateur is welcome at the Hamfest - we will provide for meals and transportation from town to the grounds and back. We suggest that anyone wishing to attend contact the Radio Room at the Evansville Police Station for assistance.

I am enclosing a copy of our bulletin and assure you that anything you may be able to do in bringing this to the attention of your personnel will be appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Fred Sawyer, W9FJI  
627 East Virginia St.  
Evansville 11, Indiana

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Can you show to Radio Room Gang  
in case they get any calls?

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# INDIANA RADIO CLUB COUNCIL

An Affiliation Of Radio Clubs

Of The

State Of Indiana

Office of Secretary

October 8, 1952

TO ALL IRCC DELEGATES:

IRCC meeting October 19, at the Morgan County REMC Building located about  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile south of Martinsville on west side of road 37.

If you are no longer a delegate please forward this to the right persons.

Any Questions to put on the agenda for this meeting inform W9MDC, Chas. Miser, 700 South Peter Street, Garrett, Indiana Immediately.

Meeting will convene around 10:30 A.M.

Election of officers will be held.

Send reservations for this meeting as soon as possible to W9NTA, Secretary of the Martinsville Radio Club.

Hope to see you all there. 73

Peggy Coulter, W9JUF  
Sec'y IRCC



MINUTES OF THE INDIANA RADIO CLUB COUNCIL  
APRIL 27, 1952.

IRCC met April 27, at Frankfort, with President Mr. Miser calling the meeting to order at 10:45 A. M.

On motion by Mr. Reberg the morning session be informal seconded by Mr. Pittman was unanimously accepted.

The following Delegates and Guests were present;

W9MDC	W9FZW	W9MEU	W9DUD	W9JJC	W9NPL	W9MVZ	W9JIU	W9ESQ	W9DOK
W9BKJ	W9JUJ	W9MAM	W9YME	W9INU	W9AND	W9BSZ	W9JVN	W9ATS	W9SKP
W9DKR	W9CLF	W9AXK	W9LDT	W9QLW	W9BBN	W9DGA	W9RZS	W9KDV	WN9TKO

Donald D. Massey      Charles L. Marsh      Bill Anderson.

Mr. Reberg gave a report on the Central Divisional Convention thanking the various clubs and persons participating in the success. There were between 300 and 350 attending the Convention. There was a balance of \$431.39.

W9FZW, W9JVN and W9JUJ were selected to audit the Convention books.

Mr. Miser complimented Mr. Reberg on the fine job done.

Mr. Atkinson made comment on the Constitution that the XYL Clubs of the State had a good chance to be in the council and no changes were necessary.

The Constitution is to be rewritten and brought up to date.

There was discussion as to the authority the SCM has in the Council in regard to the non-members club members of the state. More study in the matter of this query.

Reports from various clubs showed all would participate in the annual field day. A suggestion by Mr. Graue for all stations to meet one hour before field day on IFN with our SEC.

Mr. Reberg suggested the council offer a prize to the club making the highest score in field day.

Mr. Ballard offered Marion as a spot for the hamfest. Also Indianapolis was suggested. July 13 for a probable date. The outstanding amateur award will be presented at the picnic.

Mrs. Coulter reported on the WAIC contest that only three entries had been mailed in and the award will be presented at the picnic.

Mr. Hupp read an ARRL bulletin on the new proposals by FCC on the 75, 40 and 20 meter bands. Mr. Reberg made known that their club would like the top 50 ~~to~~ off 7 MC open to novices. Much discussion followed on the FCC proposals. Meeting recessed at 12:15 for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Meeting convened at 1:45 P.M. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted as read.

W9FZW reported the auditing committee had found the Convention books in due order. On Motion by Mr. Graue and seconded by Mr. Atkinson that the report be accepted passed unanimously.

The applications for membership of the Evansville Radio Club and the Notre Dame Radio Club were presented.

On motion by Mr. Atkinson and seconded by Mr. Tyson that their applications be accepted passed unanimously.

On motion by Mr. Reberg and seconded by Mr. Pittman the Convention bank account be transferred to the IRCC account was accepted unanimously.

Treasurer's report was read with a balance April 1952 of \$582.12.

Mr. Reberg again commended the convention committees for the fine job they had done and dismissed all convention committees.

Field day activities were discussed by various clubs.

On motion by Mr. Tyson that the IRCC give a plaque to the club affiliated with the council who makes the highest score on field day, to be rotated to winner each year with any club winning three years retain ownership, seconded by Mr. Reberg and unanimously accepted. Committee in charge W9LDT, W9QLW and chairman W9GSY.

After much discussion and suggestions Indianapolis was selected as suitable site for the annual hamfest.



On motion by W9INU and seconded by W9BKJ that one dollar be charged for registration was accepted unanimously.

On motion by W9DGA and seconded by W9NPL to have hamfest 6th or 13th of July if possible was not accepted.

On motion by W9LDT and seconded by W9BKJ that the Indianapolis Club pick date for hamfest was accepted unanimously.

The outstanding amateur award will be awarded at the hamfest and W9MDC announced the letters for the award should be mailed to him before June 15th.

As the names are removed from the letters it was suggested that the names appear in the letters only once.

W9JJC suggested the Fort Wayne XYL Club be sent a letter of thanks for their help in the convention.

On motion by W9MVZ seconded by W9DOK that \$100 be advanced to the Indianapolis Radio Club for the hamfest was accepted unanimously.

On motion by W9BKJ and seconded by W9BSZ that the SCM, PAM, RM, and SEC promote program for the various clubs to QSO one hour before field day starts was accepted unanimously.

Much discussion was held on the new FCC proposals for the purpose of helping our Central Divisional Director know the wants of the Indiana Amateurs in regard to these proposals for his report at the Board of Directors meeting.

Votes of the Council members follow.

1. Opening 7200 Kc to 7300 Kc to voice 18 for and 14 against.

A. What class license,

a. Extra 7 for and 22 against

b. Advanced or higher 16 for and 13 against,

c. General or higher 13 for

2. Opening 7175 to 7200 Kc. for novices CW only, unanimously.

3. Open 80, 40 and 20 meter bands for FSK, none.

4. Open 75 and 20 meter bands for all but novices and Technicians

1 for and 28 against,

5. Second choice on 7200 to 7300 Kc for FSK and novices 29 for and 2 against

6. Move the phone band from 14250 Kc to 14350 Kc. unanimous.

7. Open 10 meter band 250 Kc lower 28 for and 3 against.

8. Phone on 21 Mc. unanimous.

a. top half of band 1 against.

b. general class license 20 for and 7 against.

9. Open 3750 to 3800 Kc. for mobiles only, with limited power for general and higher license, 3 against.

Reports from various clubs showed that most mobiles in the state were using 29.620 Kc.

W9MDC presented a resolution to be presented to the Secretary of State by a committee in regard to the license plate bill.

On motion by W9JJC and seconded by W9DOK to adopt the resolution as written by W9MDC. W9MDC to select the committee and present to the Secretary of State was passed unanimously.

The October meeting will be at Martinsville.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 5 PM.

Peggy Coulter, W9JUU, Secretary IRCC.



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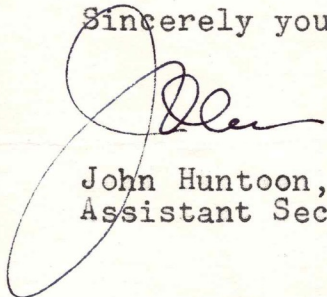
Dear OM:

Thanks a great deal for keeping us  
posted on the fine job you fellows are  
doing in the public relations field.

I would have acknowledged sooner,  
but have just returned from a seven weeks'  
trip to the West Coast where I had some  
very fine meetings -- but none better than  
in Evansville!

Best to all the gang.

Sincerely yours,

  
John Huntoon, W1LVQ  
Assistant Secretary

JH:mlp



1615 S. NEW YORK AVE.

DECEMBER 11, 1952

MR. BROOKS SHORT  
SUPV. ENGR. & RES. DIV.  
DELCO REMY CORP.  
ANDERSON, INDIANA

DEAR BROOKS:

ON BEHALF OF THE TRI-STATE AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY, I WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND OUR THANKS AND APPRECIATION FOR YOUR EXCELLENT TALK AND DISCUSSION AT OUR DINNER MEETING NOVEMBER 26TH AT EVANSVILLE COLLEGE.

CLUB INTEREST HAS BEEN MUCH HIGHER SINCE YOUR APPEARANCE HERE AND MUCH FAVORABLE COMMENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED. YOUR TALKS ALWAYS HAVE A REJUVENATING AFFECT ON OUR ORGANIZATION.

WE REALIZE THAT A GREAT AMOUNT OF TROUBLE AND INCONVENIENCE IS CAUSED YOU AND YOUR FAMILY WHEN YOU MAKE TRIPS OF THIS NATURE AND FOR THIS REASON WE ARE ESPECIALLY GRATEFUL.

PLEASE CONVEY OUR DEEP APPRECIATION TO THOSE OFFICIALS OF DELCO REMY RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING YOUR VISIT WITH US POSSIBLE. WE SHALL ALL BE LOOKING FORWARD TO THE TIME IN WHICH WE MAY AGAIN HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY OF HAVING YOU ADDRESS OUR GROUP.

MAY I ALSO TAKE THIS OCCASION, BROOKS, TO WISH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND GOOD HEALTH AND HAPPINES FOR 1953.

BEST OF LUCK ES 73

DARWIN COVERT, SEC'Y.  
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1615 S. NEW YORK AVE.

DECEMBER 19, 1952

MR. F. E. HANDY, WIBDI  
COMMUNICATIONS MANAGER  
ARRL  
WEST HARTFORD 7, CONN.

DEAR SIR:

THIS IS TO ADVISE THAT EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1953, I WILL  
NO LONGER HOLD THE OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF THE TRI-STATE  
AMATEUR RADIO SOCIETY.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION, THE NEW SECRETARY FOR 1953 WILL BE  
WILBUR WEISLING, W9OVB, 1112 WEST FLORIDA ST., EVANSVILLE, IND.

I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK YOU AND THE STAFF  
AT HEADQUARTERS FOR THE EXCELLENT COOPERATION OUR CLUB HAS RE-  
CEIVED THROUGHOUT THE PAST YEAR.

YOURS VERY TRULY

DARWIN COVERT, W9KVE